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DEPT HAS NOTED APPARENT INCREASE IN NUMBER OF
BUNDESTAG AND BUNDESRAT COMMITTEE MEETINGS IN WEST
BERLIN AS WELL AS RECENT MEETINGS THERE OF ALL THREE
MAJOR PARTY FRAKTIONEN. DOES THIS REPRESENT CONSCIOUS
DECISION OF BUNDESTAG OR GOVERNMENT OR IS IT MERELY
COINCIDENTAL? IS ROSTER OR CALENDAR OF LEGISLATIVE
COMMITTEE, PARTY MEETINGS AND OTHER FRG ACTIVITIES IN
BERLIN BEING KEPT BY ALLIES OR FRG? AVAILABILITY OF
THIS INFORMATION ON CURRENT BASIS WOULD BE USEFUL TO
COUNTER POSSIBLE SOVIET OBJECTION THAT PROLIFERATION OF
MEETINGS REPRESENTS UNACCEPTABLE INCREASE IN FRG
ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN. RUSH

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